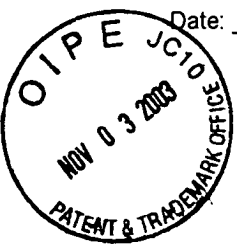


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PATENT No.: 6,629,163

ISSUED: SEPTEMBER 30, 2003

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